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PLATE XXVI.

Fig. 1. *Asclepias tuberosa.*

Fig. 2. *A flower.*

Fig. 3. *A flower dissected, showing the mass of anthers, and one nectary with its horn.*

Fig. 4. *Magnified section of the mass of anthers, showing the situation of the pistils inside, &c. A pair of pollen masses is drawn out at the top.*

Fig. 5. *Pistils magnified, and calyx.*